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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
FACILITATING SIGNING BY  
BUYERS IN ELECTRONIC  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL  
APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed on September 19, 2001, a copy of which is enclosed, please find an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for each of the named inventors in the above-identified application.

The time set for responding to the Notice was November 19, 2001. Accordingly, Applicants submit herewith a Petition to Extend Time for four (4) months, which renders this Response timely. Please charge the surcharge for filing the declarations on a date later than the filing date of the application to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. Also, please charge any other fees for this Response and for the accompanying Petition to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150.

A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date

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